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April 11, 2017

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington D.C. 20554

RE: Notice of Ex Parte Communication, WC Docket Nos. 10-90,
14-58 and 14-259

Dear Secretary Dortch:

On April 7, 2017, the undersigned, along with Jeffrey S. Nordhaus, Executive Vice President, Innovation & Broadband, Empire State Development, met with Nicholas Degani, Chairman Ajit Pai's senior counsel, to discuss the New York CAF Auction Order.

During the meeting, the parties reviewed New York State's auction structure and the auction guidelines the State had recently issued. Mr. Nordhaus discussed a number of implementation measures the State intended to undertake to comply with the conditions in the New York CAF Auction Order. Mr. Nordhaus also raised a number of questions regarding the conditions in the Order and how the State could comply with them. Finally, I reviewed the rules and regulations that would govern the next phase of the State's ongoing auction and the expected timing of the auction.

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Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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